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To Whom It May Concern:

This is a letter of reference for Mrs. Anne Snyder. Mrs. Snyder is an excellent teacher. During her time at Nevin Avenue, she has earned the respect and admiration of students, parents, and staff members alike

Mrs. Snyder uses a number of effective teaching methods that enable her to help increase student achievement. She achieves this, among other things, by using a variety of strategies that help her reach students with different learning modalities, including using Content Based-ELD and SDAIE techniques. As evidence of this, the vast majority of her students, including English Learners, consistently reach proficient and advanced levels on the California Standards Test (CST). In addition, her EL students consistently increase their ELD and CELDT levels at least by one level.

Mrs. Snyder is a teacher who reaches out beyond her classroom walls. She has taken time out of her busy to work on grant writing. She and a small group of teachers were recently awarded a grant from UCLA. The grant allowed for teachers at Nevin to receive instructional technology equipment, as well as allowed for students to be recognized with trophies for their academic accomplishments.

In addition to her regular classroom assignments and her efforts with grant writing, Mrs. Snyder has worked as Nevin's Math Coach. She regularly guides staff in professional development in Math and technology. As Math Coach, she has implemented a school wide recognition system where students are recognized for meeting benchmarks on their periodic Math assessments.

Anne Snyder is a tremendous asset to our school. In addition to her many professional attributes, she is multi-lingual and has demonstrated the ability and desire to work well with people from all backgrounds. Should you have any further questions or comments about Mrs. Snyder, please feel free to call me at 323-232-2236 ext. 124.

Sincerely,

Michael Lyman
Programs Coordinator